

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: Dennis Heyer

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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants : Erika Hoffmann

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For : BIOCOMPATIBLE COATING, METHOD AND  
USE OF MEDICAL SURFACES

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**AMENDMENT**

No fee is believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No. 50-0710 (Order No.: JCLA21561)

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2009, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.